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jy27d1aw3t JOSEPH BACHMAN, Assignee.

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GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

Olive Logan writes: "I was there, and saw him, and I will just say that if Mr. Blair was not intoxicated that night (at Long Branch), he is the most curious looking sober man I ever beheld."

Nearly all the leading newspapers in Virginia were opposed to Grant at the time of his election. But now they are all engaged in eulogizing him as their friend, and praising his policy as for their best interest. This must be gratifying to Grant.

The Washington papers are full of "the removal of the capital." They seem to settle upon St. Louis. The *Tribune* observes that if Congress should go to Chicago its sole amusement would be looking at the Lake Tunnel and getting divorced.

Miss Dorothy L. Dix is in Kansas. She recently visited the Insane Asylum at Ossawatomie, and, after making a thorough examination, concluded that the institution is in a bad condition, and set about the task of trying to have the evils remedied.

Building operations in Providence, R. I., are unprecedented. Five churches, the aggregate cost of which will be upwards of $315,000, are in process of erection or just completed. A new public grammar school building, to be the largest school building in the State, is to be erected, at a cost of $80,000.

During a recent storm at Davenport, Iowa, a good-sized boy attempted to cross one of the streets by wading through the water. The current was so strong he was thrown off his feet and carried through a culvert to the opposite side of the cross street, where he was rescued, with his head cut in many places.

The Chicago *Journal* has this from New York: "Commodore Vanderbilt buried his wife a few months since—a noble woman who has been his companion from early manhood, and to whom he was indebted for very much of his success in life. When he kept a country tavern on Staten Island she ran the house and attended to everything while he was absent on his boating expeditions. Report has it that the Commodore, who is now 75 years of age, is to lead to the hymenial altar in a few days a blooming maiden of 17 summers."

A despatch dated New York, July 23d, says: S. T. Webster, of Chicago, western agent of the National Steamship Company, leaves on Saturday in the steamship *France*, for England, for the purpose of cultivating through shipment from Chicago and the Western States to Europe. His theory is, that inasmuch as the west is a producer, and through rates of freight to Europe can be made in the west daily, the same as from New York, that Chicago and the west is the point where orders from Europe should be sent. He will visit the large cities and explain his view to the several chambers of commerce.

German Immigration.

The larger part of the immigration to this country from Europe now comes from Germany. The tide is increasing so fast as to occasion alarm in that country. A recent letter from Berlin says:

The thousands of letters that are despatched to this part of the world from thrifty colonies of Germans settled in America, and the glowing accounts published in the New York, Cincinnati and St. Louis German-American papers, about the great resources of the United States, which are sent to this country, completely upset the arguments and gloomy forebodings of the local papers here, and only go toward increasing the tide of emigration hence to a perfect flood this year. The number of German emigrants who will leave for America during the present year is set down by local papers as reaching over 200,000 souls, mostly from the middle and producing classes. The bulk of these will settle in the western country. Visit any of the German cities and large towns at the present time, and an American traveler in Prussia would be pretty sure to tumble across any number of American land offices, American railroad ticket offices, and American bureaux of information of every kind. All the great railroad lines and land companies in the United States seem to have their agencies established in every large city, and in the center of every large agricultural district, for the sale of tickets to all parts of the Union, and to dispose of western tracts of land to those who care about leaving their fatherland to try their fortunes in the new world. So great is this desire to reach America, among the poorer classes that it amounts almost to a mania.

ANOTHER AMENDER.—As amendments seem to be the order of the day, Congressman Axtell, following Senator Casserly, took the stand before the Jeffersonians of San Francisco, night before last, and took advantage of the occasion to say that "certain newspapers reported him as having said, in a speech on the night after he arrived in that city from Washington, that the Fifteenth Amendment would become law either at this session of the Legislature of the United States or the next, because it was in accordance with the spirit of the age." This he denied. What he said was, "judging from what he had seen passing around him, it would become law, because such was the spirit of the times!" The amendment is accepted! Not in accordance "with the spirit of the age," but "with the spirit of the times." That is good, better, best! The best thing of the season, and entirely worthy of a member of Congress. It is a fine amendment, for "the age" is an age, but "the times" are now! Axtell has had the reputation of being considerable of a wag, and after having heard the distinguished Senator Casserly split hairs for an hour, and end at his starting point, it no doubt moved him to try and run his plane in the same groove, and he succeeded admirably! Axtell, you are a trump! You have made the best comment on the Senator's tight rope balancing speech that has been or can be made—and you did it all by the change of a single word—you are a model commentator! —*Sacramento Record.*

A BRUTE.—We find the following in the Troy *Times* of July 17th:

The little girl Zoe, last evening at the theatre, made two successive failures in attempting to make the transept flight, and, turning a somersault, catch upon a trapeze suspended from the ceiling over the stage. A net, held underneath by four or five men, saved her from injury. De Lave, the reputed father of the girl, subsequently took her into one of the dressing rooms of the theatre, and, as we are informed, gave her a terrible beating for having failed to reach the trapeze. We suppose if she had been injured by the fall, and barely escaped with her life, he would have finished the job by whipping her all the same, possibly until life was extinct. Several who heard the cries of the little girl, threatened to have the mountebank arrested for cruelty, and it is to be regretted that they did not. The occurrence was reported to Judge Romeyn, and he expressed his earnest desire to have the man De Lave brought before him. The transept flight of little Zoe is a fearful thing, and sooner or later must end in some terrible accident. The authorities in all of the cities where this feat is advertised to be performed, would do a humane thing to prohibit it entirely.

COOKING A LOBSTER.—"Bridget, what did mistress say she would have for dinner?"

"Broiled lobster."

"Broiled lobster? Are you sure, Bridget?"

"Entirely, get the gridiron."

Mary got the gridiron and placed it on the fire. She then placed the live lobster on the gridiron.

Intermission of five minutes. After which the dialogue *resumed as follows*:

"did you broil that lobster, Mary?"

"Divil the broil. The more I poked the fire the more he walked off. The bates I'll try no more. No good will come from cooking a straddle bug like that."

"And where is the lobster?"

"Div I a bit I know. The last I saw of him he was going out of the back door with his tail at half mast like a wild maniac as he was."

Bridget started after the wild "maniac," and was still arter it when our informant left.

Death of John Gilroy.

THE OLDEST EUROPEAN SETTLER OF CALIFORNIA LIVES TO SEE THE FULFILLMENT OF HIS PROPHECY.

(From the San Francisco Call, July 30th.

On Monday last there died at San Pedro, a small town about three miles from the village of Gilroy, Santa Clara county, John Gilroy, in the seventy eighth year of his age. In announcing the death of this old gentleman, who was the oldest European citizen of California, we take occasion to say something about him. In 1814, a vessel bound for Puget Sound, with men and supplies for the Hudson Bay Company's fort, put into Monterey, on this coast, for water, vegetables and fresh meats. The ship had been many months in weathering the Horn and making the voyage from England to the Pacific, and the result *was that mostly all of the crew and passengers* were suffering severely from the scurvy. Among those who were supposed to be too far gone to recover, was a young Scotchman whose name was John Gilroy, aged twenty years, and another man named Brown. The Captain of the vessel offered to leave them on shore with the natives and call for them upon his return, but Brown objected to being left. Gilroy, however, jumped at the proposition, and was rowed ashore, and when the vessel spread her sails and steered away before the wind, he little dreamed that he had bid farewell forever to the ocean wave. But such proved to be the case; days and days passed away, and no speck upon the ocean gave note of the approach of a vessel. Months came and went, and still the white sails of a "gallant" ship were unseen. Then years passed away, until six years had been enrolled, when a vessel was seen in the offing. Young Gilroy had looked in vain for vessels so long that he had given up all hope of ever getting away, and having met a young lady that pleased his fancy, he led her to the altar. Consequently the appearance of a vessel had not the interest for him that it would have had a year or so sooner. The vessel proved to be a pirate from Buenos Ayers, and the Commander attacked the fort, captured it, and destroyed the guns, after which the town was pillaged and burned. This was in 1819.

GILROY BECOMES A MAN OF NOTE.

After his marriage young Gilroy lived like all the other people of California in those days—from hand to mouth. They had no market for grains, etc., and, therefore, never attempted to cultivate any. A vessel would come up from Mexico once a year and carry away all the tallow and hides that it could. The arrival of this ship was always looked forward to as an event of the utmost importance. In the fall of 1824, this vessel, upon her arrival, brought intelligence that a party of Americans had started across the Plains for the purpose of conquering California and adding it to the United States. The Governor immediately called for volunteers to drive back the invaders, and after the company had been organized and ready for the march, some one discovered that none of them could talk English, and as they were going to meet English foes they ought at least be able to parley with them. The Governor sent for Gilroy, who immediately joined the expedition in the capacity of an interpreter. The report which caused the organization of the troops was groundless, and the expedition resulted in nothing; and after an absence from their homes for three months, the troops returned to their firesides and laid aside their arms.

The expedition, however, was a lucky thing to Gilroy, for it introduced him to the Governor, who took a great liking to him, and gave him a grant to what is known as Gilroy valley. He removed to that valley from Monterey, and in 1825 built an adobe house at what is now known as San Ysedro, but which for a great number of years was known by the name of Gilroy's. He has ever since remained in that valley and resided in that house, and on Monday last he breathed his last there.

HE MAKES A PROPHECY.

Gilroy was a native of Scotland, and could not talk without betraying his nativity by his accent. He loved California and the native Californians, but never liked the Americans, although he always treated them courteously when brought in communication with them. After gold had been discovered, and the rush to California had commenced, Gilroy would shake his head and prophecy the decline of Californians. He would say: "We cannot compete with the energetic Yankees. They will come here by thousands; will bring with them ships and steamboats, and our waters will be given up to commerce, and in twenty-five years they will have built a railroad across the continent. They are too fast for us. The country will become the home of thousands of happy people, but the homes of the natives will be lost to them. They have not the energy to keep pace with the people who are coming to us." The old man lived to see his prophecy realised. The smoke-stack of the steamer and the white sails of the ships which are aiding and assisting commerce here can be seen upon the broad ocean, upon the bay, and upon every slough and bayou throughout the State. The shrill whistle of the locomotive and the rattle of the car wheels are heard in front of the very doors of the old man who made the prediction. He lived to see all this and more. He lived to see rapacious land sharks cheat and defraud the natives out of their princely estates. He lived to see others claim the lands that he had held for nearly half a century. He lived to see the Courts decide that others were entitled to that which he knew belonged to himself. He lived to see that while others around him grew rich, he, who at one time had been "monarch of all he surveyed," grew poor. He lived to see a town bearing his name spring into existence, and grow until it became the abiding place of thousands, and then he folded his arms upon his breast and went to that sleep that knows no waking. His funeral took place on Tuesday, and was attended by a large number of persons from all parts of the valley in which he lived so long.

THE ORIGIN OF THE PEW SYSTEM.—One hundred and seventy years ago, an elegant parish church at Atherstone, England, was, as all houses of worship had been, entirely open and available to worshipers, but it entered into the mind of an elderly lady that she would prefer to know where to sit. It was unpleasant to think anybody should be placed beside her. She accordingly begged to be allowed to put a piece of boarding to screen herself off from the rest of the world. No sooner did this appear than another wanted a partition to enable her to enjoy as her own some particular spot. Then an old gentleman thought he would like to have some accomodation reserved for him. This closing in of the church for private purposes gave its interior such an irregular and patchy appearance, that it was presently resolved to pew the whole building, which was accordingly done, a large share of the expenses were defrayed by a family well known in the neighborhood. And so the pew system has grown on, until it has become ingrained in English church life.

During Mr. Seward's overland journey he stopped at a hotel in Wyoming, where a rough looking fellow introduced himself as follows.

"Is this W. H. Seward?"

"Yes, what do you want?"

"I come to introduce myself and see you. I read about W. H. Seward. You are not so good-looking as I thought you was. Mr Seward, I have been admitted into the Union three times, commencing with Iowa, and now want to come in again with Wyoming. Good evening, Mr. Seward, although I am better looking man than you are, I am very glad to see you."

WOMAN'S RIGHTS AMONG THE BIRDS.—On the whole, there seems to be a system of woman's rights prevalent among the birds which, contemplated from the stand-point of the female, is quite admirable. In almost all cases of joint interest the female bird is the most active. She determines the site of the nest, and is usually the most absorbed in its construction. Generally she is more vigilant in caring for the young, and manifests the most concern when danger threatens. Hour after hour I have seen the mother of a brood of blue grosbeaks pass from the nearest meadow to the tree that held her nest, with a cricket or a grasshopper in her bill, while her better dressed half was singing serenely on a distant tree, or pursuing his pleasure amid the branches.

Henry Ward Beecher on Farming.

I cannot imagine the reason that a man like you should stick to the city, when there is so much of the country yet left. It is true that you had a place in the country—have you sold it?—but that place had too many owners. You held it in common with Miasma. Two proprietors never do well in running the same farm, unless they perfectly agree.

And, if I remember aright, you never lived at peace with chills and fever. I hardly blame you. There is no moderation in the thing. You are always at extremes. In fact, Miasma is an unpleasant fellow out of doors, and he is still less agreeable in the house. If you have sold out, I congratulate you.

But because you failed in one country farm, there is no good reason why you should not succeed in another. Go further away from the city. Go to the upper part of Westchester county, and somewhat away from the river, and you shall find round and beautiful hills, rich intervales, pure water, charming lookouts, and a very kind and intelligent population. It is time for you to get off the pavements. They grind men up terribly fast. There is no mercy in them either day or night.

Come to the country. If you can do no better I will give you an interest in my farm. There are thirty-six acres. That is more than I can manage and do it justice. We will carry it on jointly. I will lay out and superintend the work and you shall pay the bills.

By-the-way, there is some humor connected with farming. The newspapers inform me that I own a model farm, and that I derive a large profit from farming. So I do. But it is profit in the higher faculties, and not in the pocket. A gentleman from Baltimore writes as follows:

"DEAR SIR: I see by the papers that your farm netted you $36,000. Will you tell me what crops you raise, and what is your method? I have a farm of 200 acres near this city, and I have never yet been able to make it pay expenses. Will you tell me how I can make it as profitable as yours?"

I replied, though I never sent it:

"DEAR SIR: Don't change a particle. Keep on just as you have done, and your farm and mine will be as like as two peas. Your farm is just as profitable as mine. Truly yours."

In fact, Mr. Bonner the profits of farming are such that I am anxious for a moneyed partner. To a man who earns a good deal of money in the city, who is afraid of growing stingy and wants something to keep him generous, who takes a literary pleasure in drawing checks, and who never looks at a bill but to see the amount, I can give the utmost satisfaction. Yet I am obliged to confess that the chance is not so good now as it was a few years ago. The improvements are nearly finished. The rough work is all done. The orchards and vineyards are coming into bearings, and who knows but that the farm will make both ends meet yet. Hitherto, everybody has made money upon it but the owner. I am often asked, what is your surest crop? I answer, bills! But even that crop may fail. In a long rotation I may yet raise bills receivable instead of payable. It is only fair to state these possibilities lest a capitalist desirous of keeping his pecuniary powder open should be disappointed. But, this I will guarantee. If you will take hold with me, I will, if there is danger of the farm's paying, set on foot such improvements as will keep down your pockets to any extent.

It is a matter of surprise how much money may be buried in a small piece of ground. Indeed, many gentlemen are surprised. Simple as a smiling piece of ground looks as it lays before your contemplative eyes, it will prove a match for you in cunning. To drain it, and every piece of ground wet or dry should be underlaid with drain tile, to deepen it (and no farm except mere sand is well ploughed that has not been mellowed twenty inches deep), to gather off the stones, to dig

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

WEEKLY REVIEW

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old was quoted at New York August 4th, 136@135⅛. ive Twenties of 1862, 125; of 1867, 122¾.

egal Tenders 73¼@74.

he monthly collections occurring during the past week e shown that though money is a little tight, there is stringency sufficient to affect business. The compara- e scarcity has affected most perceptibly sales of those s of goods included in the general term luxuries, while taples and necessaries, trade has been fully up to the responding period of last year. Thirty, sixty and ninety lay loans are effected at the banks, with considerably good security, at 1 ₱ cent. Outside rate are 1¼@1½ ent. So far as money matters are concerned, we are ter off than our neighbors at the bay, judging from the owing remarks by the commercial correspondent of the ramento *Union*, under date of July 29: "There has n no improvement in business since my last report e semi-monthly collections which were made yesterday e met with difficulty by a large number of firms, ow ; to the interior customers failing to remit. I am in med that several parties had to pay 1½@2 ₱ cent. ₱ nth for accommodations to bridge over the present all spell,' as some parties here are pleased to call the sent general stagnation in business. It does not appear very clear to me when this 'dull spell' is to pass ay under the present system of doing business. It is ss to calculate on any present improvement so long as r watchful and energetic competitors on the other side the Rocky Mountains can undersell us in our own markets. This is just 'what's the matter' with us, and causs business to be so dull among importers, jobbers and ctioners. The interest on money, rents, costs of labor, *ansportation, and of every other expense* incident to siness are too high, and must be reduced before we can pe to successfully compete with the merchants, manufacturers or capitalists of Chicago and New York." We e liable, however, to suffer a more stringent market iring the next month or two in consequence of the conued demand for coin and bullion for shipment to the st. During the last week in July, we shipped to San ncisco over $150,000, most of which was destined to ew York and London. The mint at San Francisco has en idle for two weeks, and will not resume work before e 20th, owing to a change in official management.

In the Produce market, we have to note a lively trade Puget Sound. The *Telfair*, which sailed Wednesday, ant away loaded to her full capacity. The *Wright* sailt last evening, also, with every pound she could stow. heat has advanced to 75@80¢ ₱ bushel for white, and c for red. The receipts of new are yet too small to affect the market. Transactions are mostly confined to l, of which there is yet a considerable supply. Oats e unchanged but in good demand. Flour—demand od; supplies short, and prices have, therefore, temporrily advanced to $4@5 50 for extra grades, and $4 50 5 for good country brands. The export demand at San ncisco has also a bracing effect upon our market. We ed in the Sacramento *Union's* commercial letter of July from San Francisco, the following just concession to e quality and estimation in that market of Oregon ur: "Oregon, of good brands, is dearer than our best cal made. Commercial, Imperial and Salem, the best egon brands, are quotable at $4 75@6. Sales of Comercial, in bbls, are reported at $6 25. This is not comto San Francisco millers—whose best brands e offering at $5 75@5 87½, while shipping extras sell at $4 50." The export demand is principally for China, ustralia and South America, though there are orders om the Atlantic States and Europe. Bacon—scarce and at 12@12½c for sides; 13@20c for hams; and ½@9 for shoulders. Lard scarce and one cent higher, oth for tins and kegs. Hay now is coming in freely at 10@12 ₱ ton.

We notice a movement at San Francisco to force Oregon pig iron out of competition with Scotch and Eastern. he "ring" has reduced the price $15 ₱ ton to shut Oregon out. The movement will likely have the effect ught, as the works at Oswego cannot, owing to the high ost of labor, compete with the present prices at San ancisco. This is another instance of the blind folly which we are so prone to rule the hour with San Francisco dealers. Our market is not to fairly active in most lines, ry goods form no exception. *Prices are not changed.* Coal is in large supply, with dull sales.

San Francisco Produce Market.—The following quotations received by Crosse, Evans, Portland, August 5, 1869: Wheat, $1 35@1 45; good shipping $1 37½@1 40; milling $1 65@1 70; choice milling $1 75@1 80; old, brewing, $1 35; new, $1 00@1 07. Oats—Choice new, $1 60; California, $1 45@1 50; Oregon, $1 40@1 45. Barley—Feed, $1 10@1 15; brewing, $1 20@1 25. Corn—Large yellow, $1 10@1 12½; small yellow, $1 15@1 20; white, $1 15@1 20. Potatoes—Early Rose, 75c@$1 00 ₱ sack; Burbanks, 75c@$1 00; River Reds, 75c@$1 00; Sweets, 75c@$1 00; Oregons, 75c@$1 00. Onions—$1 50@1 75 ₱ cental. Hay—Wheat, $16@18; wheat and oat, $16@18; oat, $14@16; barley, $12@14; alfalfa, $12@14. Bran, $20@21 ₱ ton. Middlings, $28@30. Hops, 12½@15c ₱ lb. Wool—Fall, 20@22c; spring, 25@28c. Butter—Fresh roll, 35@37½c; fresh pickled, 30@32½c; pickled roll, 25@27½c. Cheese—Choice, 17½@18c; common, 15@16c. Eggs—Fresh, 30@32½c ₱ dozen; pickled, 25@27½c. Beans—Bayos, 6½@7c; Pinks, 6½@7c; Butters, 6½@7c; Whites, 7½@8c; Reds, 6½@7c; Limas, 8½@9c; Blacks, 6½@7c. Dried Fruits—Apples, 6@7c; sun-dried peaches, 12½@15c; evaporated peaches, 20@22½c; pears, 12½@15c; plums, 6@7c; nectarines, 12½@15c; figs, 10@12½c; grapes, 2½@3c ₱ lb. Honey—Extracted, 12½@15c; strained, 10@12½c. Beeswax, 30@32½c. Hides—Dry, 18@20c; salted, 10@12½c; kips, 12½@15c; calf, 20@25c; deer, 25@30c; goat, 10@12½c. Tallow—Rough, 3@3½c; refined, 6@6½c. Wool Sacks, 50c@$1 00. Quicksilver, $45@47 ₱ flask. Coal—Liverpool, $16@17 ₱ ton; Scotch, $16@17; Cumberland, $16@17; Coos Bay, $10@11; Bellingham Bay, $12@13; Nanaimo, $14@15; Wellington, $14@15; Seattle, $12@13; Carbon Hill, $12@13; Mount Diablo, $12@13; Cannel, $16@17; Anthracite, $25@30; Charcoal, 25@30c ₱ bushel.

Domestic Produce Market.

PORTLAND, August 6, 1869.

Apples, green, ₱ box	50@1 00
Apples, dried ₱ lb	7@7½
Wheat, new white, ₱ bushel	75@80
" Red, ₱ bushel	70
Oats ₱ bushel	60
Corn meal ₱ 100 lbs	4 00
Ground Feed ₱ ton	25 00
Peaches dried, ₱ lb	9
Bacon ₱ lb	14
Hams	18
Shoulders	9@9
Lard, in tins	17@18
Lard, in kegs	16
Eggs ₱ doz	30
Butter	25@30
Chickens, young, ₱ doz	2 50@4 00
" grown, ₱ doz	3 00@3 50
Ducks ₱ 100 lbs	6 00@7 00
Wool, ₱ lb	20@23
Hay, from wagons, ₱ ton	10@12
Hides, salted, ₱ lb	6
" dry	9@11
Furs—Fisher	1 50@4 00
Fox, cross	1 00@2 50
" red	75@1 00
Marten, prime, dark	2 50@5 00
" pale	1 00@2 50
Mink, dark, northern	50@1 50
" pale	75@1 25
Muskrat	12½
Otter, prime dark	1 75@3 50
Coon	12½
Wolf, large	75@1 50
Wild Cat	50@75
Skunk	12½
Fur Seal	1 50@2 50
Beaver, dark, per lb	50@1 00
Bear, black	2 50@5 00
" brown	1 50@2 50
Cat	25

Weekly Retail Family Market.

PORTLAND, August 6, 1869.

DOMESTIC & FOREIGN FRUITS	
Apples	75c@$1 00
Pears	3@6c lb
Plums	4@6
Dried—	
Pears, ₱ lb	3@5c
Plums	5@8c
Apples, ₱ lb	10
Peaches ₱ lb	12½@16⅔
Oranges ₱ doz	1 00
Cocoanuts	20
Limes ₱ doz	50
Plums, pitless	25
" with pits	15@16⅔
Figs, Cal., ₱ lb	25
" Smyrna	35
Prunes, in bulk	20
" in jars	35
GROCERIES.	
Coffee—	
Green O G ₱ lb	22
" Java "	33⅓
Jones' prepared, Retail:	
Java	40
Chartres	35
Rio	30
Sugar—Crushed "	20
Pulverized "	20
Granulated "	20
Yellow C & F Ref.	15
Islands	15@16
Syrups in kegs	$1 12½ gal
" per gal	1 25
Tea—Hyson	$1 50
Imperial	$1 50
Old "	$100@1 25
Gun Powder	$1 75
Japan	1 00@1 25
Black	75@1 25
PROVISIONS.	
Hams, country cut	20@21
" Butcher's "	22
" Butcher's and Packers (Sug' Cured.)	25@30
Bacon, breakfast & rib	18
Clear side	14
Shoulders, country cut	11
" Butcher's and packer's	12½@13
" Butcher's and packer's sug'r cured	15
Cheese, Cal. ₱ lb	25
Cheese, Oregon	30@20
Eggs fresh ₱ doz	37½
Honey ₱ lb	25
Lard, choice, ₱ lb	18
10 lb leaf in tins	$2 00
Butter—	
Choice, in roll	37½
Good " "	32
Ordinary	33
Common, ₱ lb	20
Flour—₱ ½ sack	
Imperial	1 50
Star "	1 50
Vaughn's	gone
Other brands	1 12½@1 12
POULTRY, GAME, &c.	
Turkeys	nominal
Chickens, doz. 5 00@6 50	
" spring $3 50@4	
Puget Sound Cod	18@20
Salt Salmon ₱ lb	8@10
VEGETABLES.	
Beets ₱ lb	3
Carrots ₱ lb	3
Onions ₱ lb	4
Turnips ₱ lb	3
Potatoes ₱ bushel	1 00
Cabbage, ₱ doz $1 00@1 25	
Cauliflower, doz	3 00
Sweet potatoes ₱ lb	8
Radishes ₱ doz bun	50
Lettuce ₱ doz buns	75
Parsnips ₱ doz bun	75
Celery, ₱ doz	2 00
Cucumbers, ₱ doz	25c
Green corn, ₱ doz	15@20c
Tomatoes, ₱ lb	8c

Cotton Goods and Woolen Market.

PORTLAND, August 6, 1869.

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS.—*Blankets*, Oregon gray, No. 1, $9 50; No. 2, $8 50; No. 3, do. $4 25; do. white, No. 1 extra $12; No. 1, $8 50; do. No. 2, $7; No. 2, blue, $7 75; No. 2, green, $7 75; Vicunna, No. 1, $11; No. 2, $8; 8-4 White flannel, $1 10@$1 25; 4-4 White do 75c; 3-4 White do. 37½@45c; Plain assorted colors, flannel, 40@45c; Fancy Twilled shirting do, 50@55c; Grey Mixed Shirting 40@50; Hard times, 90c; Grey Doeskin, $1 00; Fancy do. $1 10; Drab Mixed Beaver, 95c; Fancy Cassimeres $1 00@$1 40; Tweeds, 75@85c; Yarns, $1@1 25.

COTTON GOODS.—*Sheetings*—Standard, 14½@15½c seconds, 14½c; light, 11@12c. Standard drills, 17c. *Shirting*—Bed under, 16@22c; bleached, 9 to ½, 11@13c. *Denim*—15@21c. Hickory stripes, 15@ 18c. *Print*—Fancy, 11½c; Merrimac, 12c; Delaines, 19. *Ticking*—4 qr 25@37c; 30-inch, 18@35c. Linsey, 24@33c. 10-4 bleach, 50 Oakland heavy sheeting, 28c ₱ yard. 80-inch sheeting, 12½@13½c ₱ yard.

Cattle and Live Stock Market.

PORTLAND, August 6, 1869.

CATTLE—Beef cattle, $6 50 ₱ cwt net.
SHEEP—Good mutton sheep, $1 50@2 25 ₱ head.
PORK—6@7c.
VEAL CALVES—Spring, 5@8c ₱ lb.

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Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Stark's building, third story opposite Arrigoni's Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.
Feb 4, 1868. dtf

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Portland, February 18, 1868. dtf

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No. 16 North Front street.
By order of M. E. H. P

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. O. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 7½ o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T

Nonpareil Lodge No. 86, I. O. O. T.—Meets every Thursday evening at 7½ o'clock. Hall in Poppleton's building, First Street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Members in good standing are invited to attend.
jy7dtf By order of the W. C. T.

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By order of Hon. W. W. Upton, Judge
W. W. THAYER.
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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Assignee of the estate of E. D. Woodray, bankrupt, will on Monday, August 9, 1869, sell at public auction at the village of Phœnix, in Jackson county, Oregon, all the Real and Personal Property belonging to the estate of said bankrupt, consisting of one first Mill and Water Privilege, three town Lots, each 270 feet front by 347 feet deep, one Lot 90 feet front by 347 feet deep, one Lot 100 feet front by 315 feet deep, one Lot 60 feet front by 315 feet deep, one Lot 60 feet front by 120 feet deep, with the dwelling house, stables and other buildings thereon, also, *one Iron Safe, one Roan Horse*, one set Concord Harness and one two-horse Wagon. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. Terms cash in U. S. Currency J. R. WADE, Assignee.
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NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE OF HIS APPOINTMENT, (In Bankruptcy.) District of Oregon, ss.—At the city of Portland the 5th day of June, A. D. 1869. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of E. D. Woodray, bankrupt, of Jacksonville, in the county of Jackson and State of Oregon, within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said district
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Liberty,	Grant's Pass,	Lincoln,
Little Elk,	Jacksonville,	Lucksmute,
Newport,	Phœnix	Lewisville,
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The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING, AUGUST 7, 1869.

CITY.

Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates.....73½@74
New York Gold Quotations.....134½@136

THE LEWIS RIVER MINES.—Nothing very definite seems to be yet known concerning the richness of the mines on Lewis river, but parties are constantly going out from Vancouver, and there seems to be a *general belief* that fair wages can be made. The *Register* of yesterday has the following paragraphs concerning the matter

We have nothing later from the mines than Mr. Miller's report which, is indefinite in the extreme. Departures continue steadily, and quite a brisk little trade has sprung up in furnishing outfits to prospectors. About 30 pack animals in all, loaded with from 150 to 250 pounds of provisions and mining tools each, have left for the diggings within the past week. Mr Geo. Weeden started a train of seven horses on Thursday to carry the outfits of a party from Portland, and others are preparing to start to-day or to-morrow.

We learn that diggings have been struck near Chelatchie Prairie, of a richer character than those at Texas Dig,' ys. *It is said that there three to one of men at* Chelatchie Diggings, above Texas Diggings

Dr. L. Kidd and Mr. Johnson returned from the mines on Saturday. The Doctor says there is undoubtedly gold there. Jack Maguire, an old miner, has found mines on Cedar creek. He has been and got three chums, and Sunday they started for his diggings He says he can make from four to six dollars per day. There seems to be a general confidence in the continuance of these mines Mr. Louis Meyer is now in the mines. Lieuts. Kechenberg and McDougall started on Sunday with pack animals. All believe there will be an extensive gold field discovered if prospectors only persevere.

Mr. G. W. Miller returned on Monday last. He says he shall start in to mine on Lone Star creek, where Texas is. *He says there* is plenty of gold out there, and has already started out again. Mr. Harry Wood left for the mines on Monday. Still they go. Confidence in the mines last

We would state for the information of those going to the Lewis river mines that to go by the way of Vancouver is the best route. Many, we have understood, have gone to the south of Lewis river, being misled by the name "Lewis river mines." *It is almost an impossibility* by that route to reach the mines. Vancouver is the best point of

CITY COUNCIL.—The Council met on Friday evening pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Councilmen Bills, Breck, Cree, Hopkins, Lewis, and Moffett. Councilman Hopkins in the chair.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The petition of C. Goodenough asking upon what terms the city would allow him to use the east wall of No 1 Engine House as a party wall, was read and on motion referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Mayor.

Warrants were ordered drawn upon the reports of the Committee on Accounts and Current Expenses, in favor of *Oregon Herald* $236 75; J. T. Ghislen, M. D., $25; J. A. Chapman, M. D., $95; T. Nicholson, $6.

Councilmen Porter and Ripley appeared and took their seats.

An ordinance presented by the Committee on Streets and Public Property providing for laying the Nicolson pavement on Front street between Morrison and Main streets, was adopted under a suspension of the rules.

Adjourned.

MILITARY ORDER.—Headquarters, Department of the Columbia, Portland, Oregon, August 4th, 1869. General Orders, *No. 27*:

The attention of the General Commanding, has been called to the disregard exhibited by many officers serving in the Department of the regulations of the army in regard to uniform: During active field operations such diversions may have been excusable, but no such exists now.

Attention is called to Article LI, Revised Army Regulations, 1863; and the appendix thereto, and is especially directed to paragraphs 1563 and 1564, of the former and 124 of the present; and hereafter all officers and men, appearing on military duty, will be required to comply with the provisions contained therein, and the general regulations of the army, which require them to wear the prescribed uniform of their respective corps.

By command of

MAJ. GEN. GEORGE CROOK.

A. H. NELSON, Capt. 23d U. S. Infantry A. D. C. and A. A. A. General.

OREGON CITY.—We clip the following items from the Banner:

At the last meeting of the City Council an additional $200 was appropriated to the work of opening Seventh street.

While out hunting with some friends on last Saturday, J. R. Bonser, Esq., of this city, lost a fine gold watch, worth $150.

Work is progressing so rapidly upon Odd Fellows' Hall, in this city, that members are congratulating themselves that they soon, now, they will be able to meet in their own lodge. The order is in excellent trim here.

A trial has been given by Mr. S. E. Stone, of this city, to the Peell Gang Plow, and arrangements are being made to have a complete trial of all gang plows in the State on the old State Fair Grounds, near Oregon City, (Wednesday), on Wednesday, the 1st of September, 1869, at 1 o'clock P. M. An entrance fee of $5 00 will be required of the Plow awarded the premium, by three disinterested men to take the purse.

MARRIAGE.—The subjoined items are from the Vancouver *Register*:

The course of study at Holy Angels' College will close on the 16th of August.

On the 1st of Aug. W. C. Stevens had on the upper end of the island in the river, forty-five head of cattle, including the Alta House, generally known as the Henley property, was sold last week to Mr. A. O'Donnell for $400 in coin.

Miss Hall's school will reopen its doors on Monday, Sept 13th. A lady is expected from the East to take charge of the junior department.

Mr. Kelly and Murphy, formerly residents of this city have returned and brought their families. It is their intention to make a permanent residence in Vancouver county.

Cold weather for harvesting and hands are in demand and command a high price. Though crops are light in many places with some yearn the quality is excellent.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.—The report of Mr. R. W. Gibson, Treasurer of the Sabbath School Mission of the M. E. Church of this city, shows that the entire amount raised in the Sabbath School for the past year was $1,200.

The Young Men's Christian Association of this city will devote half the proceeds of their evening collection, on the 15th inst., to the benefit of Rev. Mr. Gibson's lecture, to the Chinese Mission institution for which Mr. Gibson is canvassing.

A letter from H. K. Hines, published in the *Advocate*, states that in the Puget Sound District, within the last year the membership of the M. E. Churches has increased about twenty per cent.

The vote on "Lay Delegation," in the Columbia District, was 167 for, and 260 against.

A camp meeting will be held near Philip Foster's, in Clackamas county, commencing August 12th, to hold over the following Sunday. Bishop Marvin will preach.

THE DALLES.—The *Mountaineer* says:

We are informed that the water of Hood river is now running through Hood river ditch down into Mill Creek. It is expected that the mill will commence operations on the next.

We learn that the farmers in this region have mostly finished with their harvesting and have commenced threshing. *The result, as far as we have learned, is not very flattering.* Probably not more than half the quantity sown to the acre, usually raised; will be gathered this season, which is principally owing to the unusual dry weather we have had this season.

We are informed by our forwarding merchants that they have quite a large amount of freight on hand at present but no teams.

PERSONAL.—The following is communicated by a friend:

Capt. Wm. McKay is in town to aid the prosecution of settlers for gross violations of the law protecting Indians. His intimate relations with the government, in Indian intercourse for many years throughout Oregon and Washington, admirably qualify him, as a most efficient and reliable man, in inaugurating the new policy of the Administration in that Department. We should be pleased to see him in a position where his talents and experience may be exerted to promote the welfare of the Indians and the policy of the Government. We know no one more favorably known to all the tribes of this region, and none so familiar with the gross abuses that have been the [illegible] and reproach of the old regime."

LETTER FROM CAPTAIN LYON.—Captain Lyon, Consul at Kanagawa, writes to his son-in-law, Captain Coffin, under date of the 12th ultimo, that up to that time the steamer *Great Republic* had made 1,630 miles, averaging about 206 miles per day. The weather had been very pleasant and the great Pacific ocean was as smooth as a mill pond. The Captain's family were all well, and so were all on board, and in good spirits. There were also in the company three other Consuls bound for their respective stations, and all enjoying themselves hugely. This letter was sent by the returning steamer from China, which was met on the morning of the 12th, about midway in the Pacific ocean So says the *Mountaineer*.

LIBERAL SUBSCRIPTIONS.—Messrs. Bills, Flanders and Mayer have succeeded admirably in procuring subscriptions for the relief of the family of the late A. D. Miller. In four hours on Thursday and two hours yesterday, they raised $1,240 in coin, beside receipted bills amounting to perhaps two hundred. Our people have shown an admirable liberality. The Committee will to-day be around in the back of the city not yet visited. They desire to obtain a sum large enough to purchase them a little home and give them a start in the world. The committee deserve to be honored for their disinterested and philanthropic labors. Give them a liberal lift to-day.

WHERE ARE WE TENDING?—The *Unionist* of yesterday says: "Last evening Mrs. Rebecca Bradford, of the M. E. Zion Church, an African woman of pure blood, preached in the M. E. Church to a crowded house. She delivered a regular sermon from the text, 'Blessed are they who hunger after righteousness, for they shall be filled.' We have heard some of the white brethren make less successful efforts in the same house." To this complexion has it come at last! Woman's Rights! Negro Equality!! Democrats, let's howl!"

OPENING OF NORTH PACIFIC TRANSPORTATION CO.—The *Bulletin* of the 30th ult. says: "At the annual meeting of the North Pacific Transportation Company, held yesterday afternoon, the following gentlemen were chosen Trustees for the ensuing year: Ben. Holladay, Wm. Norris, Lloyd Tevis, A. Hayward, S. F. Butterworth, W. C. Ralston, and W. F. Babcock. The Board was organized this afternoon as follows: President, Ben. Holladay; Vice President, Wm. Norris; Secretary, C. J. Brenham.

THE ECLIPSE.—Of course everybody will be out to see the eclipse, to-day, which will positively take place in accordance with notices given in the bills. "Indisposition" of *star* or stock actors carefully provided against. No half-fare collectors allowed on the grounds—and the show is sure to go on. In this connection, we suggest that it is very important that those who are *preparing* glasses to use on the occasion shall take the precaution to see that everything is drained out of them before using

DON'T CROAK.—The immigration scheme now before our people is a most important project, yet there are those who speak of it only to predict its failure Talk to them about it and they will say that it amounts to nothing and will produce no results. Of course it will not if every man speaks of it in this way Can't these gentlemen conceive that because a thing has never been done before it is not therefore impossible to do it now?

OREGON CITY ENTERPRISE.—The *Enterprise*, received last evening, announces D M McKenney as editor, and John Myers, Financial Agent The concern is Democratic, and as a matter of course, the principal editorial article is devoted to the expression of fears that the Chinese will get ahead of white people In these fears of these gentlemen, we acknowledge that there is reasonable ground for such fears.

ACCIDENT TO THE GEO S WRIGHT.—The steamer was to sail at six P M on Thursday, but just at the moment of starting, and when the propeller had made a revolution or two, the propeller pin broke and the steamer was unable to move She was towed down the river yesterday, by the *Okanagan*, and will be beached at Astoria for repairs The damage is slight, the delay being the principal item.

COMPLIMENTARY.—The United States grand jurymen were discharged yesterday Before making their final report to the Court, they adopted a vote of thanks to Mr. David McCully Foreman, and to Marshal Young and deputies for kindness and attention shown them during their sessions There were twelve cases before the jury, in eight of which indictments were found.

ARRIVED.—R. W Raymond, editor of the *American Journal of Mining* and Commissioner of Mines, is now in this city. He has been traveling for some months in Colorado, Nevada and California, collecting information in regard to the mineral resources of the country From this city he will go up the Columbia river and visit Idaho and Montana Territories

U. S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, JUDGE.—Friday, August 6th: The Grand Jury came in and presented two bills of indictment, endorsed "True bills"—one for perjury and one for cutting timber on public lands; and having no further business before them, the jurymen were discharged for the term Court adjourned till Saturday, August 7th.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.—Friday, August 6th: *Benj. Stark vs. L. M. Starr, action to recover real property*; the day was consumed in the argument which was concluded and the cause submitted to the Court. Adjourned until Tuesday, August 10th.

LECTURES.—Rev. Benj Todd will lecture this evening and to-morrow evening at Oro Fino Hall. His subject for to-night is, "Religion; What is it? Be it of God or Man?" To-morrow night he will show that "Sunday is just as good as any other day."

SUGGESTIVE.—The subject of Rev. Mr Todd's lecture, Sunday evening, "Sunday just as good as any other day," is strongly suggestive of the old saw, "a white man is just as good as a nigger, if he only behaves himself"

DRAY COMPANIES CONSOLIDATED.—We understand that the dray companies—Holman & Co., and Taylor & Co.—have been consolidated, and will hereafter do business *under the firm name of Taylor, Holman & Co.*

DONATION.—Multnomah Engine Company No. 2 subscribed one hundred dollars to the fund for the relief of the family of the late A. D. Miller.

BASE BALL.—The first game of the match between the Pioneer and Clackamas clubs, will take place at East Portland at 10 A. M. to-day

DEPUTY SHERIFF.—C. B. Upton has resigned the office of deputy sheriff, and Byron C. Holmes has been appointed to the vacancy

UNDERGOING REPAIRS.—The U. S. N. Co's steamer *Idaho* is undergoing a thorough course of repairs, preparatory to the fall trade.

LABORATORY AT EAST PORTLAND.—We are informed that Dr. Veath is fitting up a chemical laboratory at East Portland.

SOIREE.—Prof. Cardinell will give a dancing soiree at his Academy this evening. Everybody invited.

LECTURE AT OREGON CITY.—Major Adams will lecture at Oregon City this evening.

RAFFLE.—The bay mare Flora Temple will be raffled this evening at the Cosmopolitan saloon.

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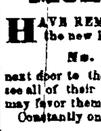

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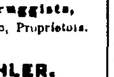

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We endorse the annexed opinion of Jas. S Lawson, Esq., and will add that Mr Chas. A White is a practical surveyor, and has had access to the township maps in the two Land Offices in this Territory, as also the Coast Survey charts; and we can vouch for his map of Washington Territory, west of the Cascade Range of Mountains, as being correct, and the only good map of the same territory that has been made.

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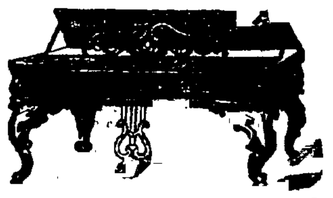

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SATURDAY MORNING, AUGUST 7, 1869.

The Eclipse.

The total eclipse of the sun which is to take place to-day will be an event of unusual interest. Probably no adult person now living will witness in the United States another eclipse so interesting. Preparations have been made throughout the world for studying the phenomena connected with the eclipse, and many valuable observations will no doubt be made. A number of astronomers from the principal observatories in the United States have repaired to Southern Illinois, a position which will afford as good opportunities for making observations as any on the continent. A solar eclipse can occur only at the time of a new moon and when that satellite is nearly in the plane of the ecliptic or great circle in the heavens, in the circumference of which the sun appears to move during the annual revolution of the earth. The eclipse to-day will not be total at Portland, but nearly so. At Sitka it will be total, from which place the line of the total eclipse runs south-easterly through British America and Dakota, crosses the Mississippi near Burlington, Iowa, crosses the Ohio near Louisville, and enters the Atlantic ocean near Beaufort, North Carolina.

Before the science of astronomy had explained the causes of eclipses and begun to calculate with precision and certainty the time of their appearance, they were looked upon with superstition and fear and held to be signs of the displeasure of Heaven. When the sun was thus darkened it was believed that it was hiding its face from some dreadful spectacle, and an eclipse was therefore regarded as a portent of some terrible visitation or calamity. Great armies were thus suddenly paralyzed, and, falling a prey to their fears, were easily dispersed or destroyed. To historical incidents like these Milton referred in his great poem when he wrote:

> As when the sun new-risen
> Looks through the horizontal misty air
> Shorn of his beams, or from behind the moon,
> In dim eclipse, disastrous twilight sheds
> On half the nations and with fear of change
> Perplexes monarchs.

It was also supposed that any enterprise which was being prosecuted when an eclipse occurred was certain to result in failure or disaster. For instance, a ship which was building when this phenomenon appeared, was deemed unsafe and liable to go to the bottom. We have an allusion to this belief in the exquisite monody of *Lycidas*, where the author bewails the fate of a friend who was lost on the passage from Ireland to England in the Irish sea:

> It was that fatal and perfidious bark,
> Built in the eclipse and rigged with curses dark,
> That sank so low that sacred head of thine.

Eclipses were [illegible] by the ancients the "labors" of the sun or moon. In the Latin epic, when the founder of Rome and the dominions of Dido, that queen, [illegible] had made had luck in her love affairs, made one of her bards entertain the company with music. This is the way the original has it:

> Cithara crinitus Iopas
> Personat, docuit quæ vagus Atlas.
> Hic canit errantem lunam, solisque labores.

Dryden has done the world the favor of translating this, as follows:

> Iopas to the lyre and tuneful voice
> His lofty strains and sacred raptures raise;
> The various labors of the wandering moon,
> And whence proceed the eclipses of the sun.

With due deference to the great translator, it may be remarked, however, that Iopas didn't tell the cause of the "labors of the sun," for the good reason that he didn't know.

But, leaving the rest of this for the learned Dr. Humbug and his scholars to explain, we have only to advise everybody to get out this evening with their smoked glass and see the show for themselves, which which will be punctually exhibited, as advertised, without any admission fee.

In General.

The Democratic candidate for Governor of Maine, in his letter accepting the nomination, says: "It should not dishearten us if we do not triumph this year." *This* year, indeed! The Maine Democrats have not triumphed for nearly twenty years and probably never will win.

About this time last year the Democrats elected a Street Commissioner or some other such officer in Cincinnati, and a shout of exultation went up all over the Union. All their newspapers issued extras embellished with tremendous head lines and typographical devices innumerable. It was supposed that this "great victory" foreshadowed the result in the Presidential contest. Radicalism was on the wane, had suffered an eclipse; and the unconquerable Democracy were marching forward to a national triumph. We were reminded of this incident yesterday by seeing a *Herald* extra which was issued to give the joyful news of a partial Democratic victory in Tennessee. We hope our Democratic friends will all be prepared to rejoice over the municipal election at Scio, in the Forks of the Santiam, where they are sure to gain a splendid triumph.

The election in Tennessee is analogous in some respects to that in Virginia. Both the candidates for the office of Governor were Republicans. It made little difference which of them was elected, but the split among the Republicans enabled the Democrats to make an effort to secure the Legislature, and it is probable they have succeeded. What effect this election will have on Southern politics cannot yet be anticipated. It is probable that the Democrats there, as in other Southern States, will stand by the fifteenth amendment. As to the report about electing Andrew Johnson Senator, the Democratic papers of the State have recently been declaring that it would in no event be done. But if he should be elected he would do his party far more harm than good. As President, Johnson could accomplish nothing for his party; as Senator he would be simply contemptible.

THE WEST.

The amount paid out last week to the Central Pacific railroad employees was $230,000. The July pay will aggregate over $1,100,000 in gold.

A Deer Lodge (Montana) paper of the 23d July says: Professor T. F. Campbell, late Superintendent of Public Instruction, and now *en route* with his family to Salem, Oregon, where he is to have the position as principal in the Seminary, was in Deer Lodge last Sabbath.

The San Francisco *Examiner* of the 29th says: "Our enemies are active almost beyond precedent. It is proposed to run an independent ticket, composed of Radicals and sore head Democrats against ours. The sore-heads are implacable and energetic in their machinations."

A party of Chinese going to Truckee to settle, passed through Sacramento, and among other traps had a household god—a wooden Joss. The *Union* congratulates the godless Truckeeans; suggesting that a wooden god will be a great improvement on the former condition of the town

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

DATES TO AUGUST 6.

Political News.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—The *Tribune's* Chattanooga special repeats the story that if Stokes is defeated he will proceed to Nashville, seize the State Capitol and proclaim himself Governor without contesting the election before the Supreme Court. Of course Governor Senter will call out the Militia to resist this proceeding, when an armed collision will ensue; whereupon Stokes expects the General Government to interpose in his behalf and depose Senter. Stokes has repeatedly threatened in his public speeches to force Government interference. This is the manner in which he expects to bring it about.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 4.—The election returns still arriving corroborate the former statements that the Democratic candidate for State Treasurer will have a clear majority of 10,000. The Legislature will have a Democratic majority.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—At a meeting of the leading citizens of Brooklyn, it was resolved to organize a citizens association for the purpose of endeavoring to stamp out municipal corruption and abolish city rings generally. A committee was appointed to prepare a plan of organization.

Convention of Tobacconists.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 5.—The National convention to complete the organization of the National Tobacco Association commenced at the Washington Convention in January last, met here last night. The ostensible objects of the Association are protection against unfriendly legislation, unfavorable discrimination in decisions upon the revenue laws, and a general advancement of personal interest. A committee was appointed to draft a Constitution and By-laws.

The fourth exhibition of the Cincinnati Tobacco Association has been most successful; the quality of the tobacco being superior and prices good, though not fancy.

Alabama Election.

SELMA, Aug. 6.—Ryland Randolph, editor of the *Independent Monitor* has been elected to the Legislature from Tuscaloosa by a majority of 50. The Mayor of Wilmington was elected to fill a vacancy in the Legislature. The election excited universal interest and passed off quietly. It is generally conceded that Eagles, radical, is elected over Larkins, moderate Republican.

Mississippi Politics.

JACKSON, Aug. 6.—The *Clarion* of to day publishes an address signed by thirty-six old line Whigs and Democrats, representing every county in the State, urging the people to support the National Union Republican party, and vote the ticket they will present, claiming that in this party are the supporters of the views of the President and the Congressional plan of reconstruction. This party has called a nominating convention for the 8th of September, in this city.

Tennessee Election.

NASHVILLE, Aug. 6.—Stokes' majority in the city is eight. Senter's in the county is 1,800. Senter's in Knoxville, 300; in the county 800. Returns show that Senter has carried middle and western Tennessee by a sweeping majority. Making allowance for Stokes' probable majority in east Tennessee, Senter has carried the State by 40,000 or 50,000. The conservative Legislative tickets have been in all the districts carried by Senter. Probably the conservatives will have a majority in both branches.

Specials from various points of Tennessee show that a much heavier vote was cast than at the Presidential election. Senter's majority in the State will probably be from 50,000 to 60,000. No serious disturbances are thus far reported. The Legislature, it is probable, will be strongly Democratic.

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—The Tennessee election, so far as heard from, passed off quietly. Business was generally suspended in the principal cities. Shelby county gives Senter 3,000 majority. Returns are coming in slowly. Most of the counties thus far give large majorities for Senter. A special dispatch from Moscow states that a row occurred [illegible] One white boy was killed; no others injured. The vote in Nashville is close. In the county the [illegible] vote is 1,500. Emerson Etheridge, Edmund Cooper and Bailie Peyton are elected to the Legislature.

From the Indian Country.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Washington specials say that accounts from the Indian country are still favorable for peace. Commissioner Parker sees no reason for fear of a disturbance this fall. The policy of collecting the Indians on reservation is being rapidly pushed. Unexpectedly large numbers are coming in and showing a disposition to take habits of civilized life. The system of distributing annuity goods at a large town which led to lawlessness and the transfer of most of the goods to white traders at nominal prices, has been broken up. The distributions are now made on the reservations and access is denied to the traders.

The examination of the steamer *Dubuque* rioters was closed at Rock Island, yesterday. Ten were held on a charge of murder, and three asked for a further hearing.

Southern States.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 6.—A report has been received from Edgefield, S. C., that Charles and J. D. Croswell, who left here on Wednesday, it is supposed to engage in a duel, met near Edgefield yesterday and fought with pistols, when the former was instantly killed and the latter seriously and perhaps mortally wounded. The affair is entirely of a private nature, and it is alleged grew out of family troubles.

The *Herald's* special from Richmond says sheriff Mayhew and deputy Stevens, of Norfolk, paid a recent visit to Taylor's farm, in that county for the purpose of serving a writ of ejectment on negro squatters. They went down in a buggy. Coming to the village, they left the horse on the road and passed through the different streets, leaving notices at every house. When they returned to their buggy they were astonished to find that the buggy, horse and harness were decorated all over with the notices they had just served. On inquiry into the cause the negroes informed them that no attention would be paid to those notices; that the military would have to remove them. They offered no violence to the officers, but assured them that no civil law was recognized in that village. Thus the matter stands, Taylor is deprived of his property by the military, and to recover it he is referred to the civil law, which is powerless.

New York News.

NEW YORK, August 6.—The Spanish Minister is in the city, but his object has no direct connection with the seizure of the Spanish gunboats. He is awaiting instructions from Madrid. The boats still remain under guard. Explicit instructions as to what is to be done with them, will probably be received from Secretary Fish to-day. Delamater, contractor for building the gunboats, is anxious about the vessels. They cost him over $600,000. Marshal Barlow says the boats will not be permitted to leave their present positions until their character is changed or instructions are received for their release.

It was stated last evening that Judge Pierpont, the President and Secretary Fish, had a private interview and resolved, owing to the lateness of the fact that the Judge had received from the Spanish authorities some Spanish correspondence which had not been translated, with reference to the late seizure, to postpone the Conference until this morning at 10 o'clock. It is stated by those interested, that matters of the utmost importance will be then discussed, and that the Conference will extend several hours.

The National Tobacco Association.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 5.—The National Tobacco Association was organized to day and adopted a constitution. Individuals and firms will be admitted on payment of $25. Wm. E. Lawrence, of Maryland, was elected President; L. H. Frazer, Vice President, and Joseph Hall, of New York, Treasurer. The President will appoint a Financial Agent for each State.

A Treasury Agent has been several days investigating charges against Gen. Young, Supervisor of Internal Revenue for Southern Ohio. Fourteen charges are against him.

The attendance at the Exposition of Fabrics has increased greatly to day, and it would have run a week with profit. The premiums will be awarded to-morrow.

A special meeting of the Northwestern Wool Growers and Manufacturers was held to day. They passed resolutions deprecating any changes in the tariff on woolens, and opposing a renewal of the reciprocity treaty with Canada. Resolutions were also passed inviting Southern manufacturers to unite in efforts to become members of this association. Delegates from Southern manufacturers appeared and were greeted with enthusiasm.

Female Suffrage in Vermont.

MONTPELIER, Aug. 5.—The Council in caucus voted to recommend a Constitutional Convention which convenes in February next to incorporate an article allowing women to vote.

Montana Election.

HELENA, Aug. 5.—J. M. Cavanaugh is elected Delegate to Congress by 2,000 majority.

Chinese Merchants at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—Sing Man and Choy Chen, the Chinese merchants from San Francisco, who accompany the commercial party of this city, had a cordial reception on Change, yesterday. President Richards introduced them. The Committee of Ways and Means were also present, and the members made brief addresses.

Washington News.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—The *Tribune's* special says the seizure of the Spanish gunboats will probably result in some determination being reached in the Cabinet meeting on Thursday, when the whole Cuban question will be discussed. The Peruvian Minister has been considerably exercised about these boats, believing that some of them are intended for offensive operations against Peru.

Commissioner Delano has notified a number of Supervisors of Internal Revenue to meet here for the submission of their experience among each other with a view to promote the efficiency of the service.

A report from Virginia shows a decided improvement in the efficiency of officers during Grant's administration.

One million two hundred thousand dollars more was collected in tobacco in Richmond, Petersburg and Lynchburg districts than during the same period last year.

A letter from Salt Lake says Brigham Young and the Mormon leaders are greatly worked up over the reports about Mormondom made by persons who visited them this summer.

A *Tribune* special says the detectives who have been working up the Ocean bank robbery case say they have arrested the robbers, but decline further particulars.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—A dispatch to the *Sun* says Secretary Robeson admits that Senator Cole has gone to San Domingo on a special mission. The Secretary declares that inside of one year San Domingo will be admitted into the Union.

The Secretary received a dispatch to day from Ernest Larche, Hayden Charge d'Affairs, asking an interview. Larche had a long interview with Secretary Fish who has given him a letter to Robeson. His business is important and may have some decisive bearing on the annexation project. Robeson meets Larche in the morning. It is stated that by request of Secretary Fish a number of gun boats have been placed at his disposal by Admiral Porter, to watch the Spanish gunboats.

The Swedish Consul asks for contributions in aid of the sufferers by the conflagration at Gefle, nearly two-thirds of which city has been burned and 8,000 persons rendered homeless.

Brooklyn Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—Notices were served yesterday on most of the Wall street bankers, who reside in Brooklyn, of suits to be commenced against them in the U. S. Courts, for recovery of a tone for failing to make the required monthly returns of the capital in their business.

The Fire at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 5.—The burned warehouse was a six story brick, 200x150 feet. It contained forty thousand barrels of whisky and other goods, valued at ten or eleven millions of dollars. The efforts of the firemen to subdue the flames were greatly impeded by the burning liquor running through the streets. A large number of minor casualties have occurred. No lives are known to be lost with the exception of two children killed by falling walls. The origin of the fire is said to be the breaking down of the floor over the engine room, by the immense weight of whisky, which, bursting through, immediately caught fire. Most of the whisky is that on which duty had been paid under the extension of the act of Congress. The fire was the most destructive which has occurred here since the great fire of 1850. The principal losers are Haynes, Catherwood and John Gibson & Sons. At this time it is impossible to state the amount of insurance.

Later—11:5 A. M.—A heavy thunder storm has set in, which will aid in reducing the fire, which is still burning unchecked. The great heat prevents a close approach to ascertain minor particulars, but the streets are full of rumors of lives lost by falling walls. The stores destroyed were considered entirely fire proof, having iron doors and shutters. There were eighteen-inch walls between each of the eight stores, but they burned almost as if made of wood. The burning whisky ran into a sewer, causing an explosion and a great panic among the spectators, which was not lessened by the reports that the building contained powder and saltpetre. The buildings were erected fifteen years ago and were considered the finest of the kind in the country. They were formerly used by the Government for storing sugar, cigars, etc., but recently were entirely devoted to the storage of whisky in bond.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 5, 7 o'clock, A. M.—The fire has not spread any further. The heavy rain continues, checking the flames.

Miscellaneous.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5. [illegible] Monday, two men were arrested and put in jail. They had about ten thousand dollars in counterfeit money in their possession.

There was considerable activity at the navy yard last evening. Two steam tugs were on duty in the harbor all night. It is supposed that is is owing to some anticipated new move on the part of the Spanish or Cuban authorities.

James Griffin, the Erie engineer, charged with causing the *Mount Hope* disaster, has been released on bail.

The *Tribune's* special says there is no reason to believe that Senator Cole has gone to San Domingo for the purpose of opening negotiations of any kind. The administration determined last May to send a person thither to examine the condition of things and make a report to Congress. The person designated was unable to go on account of sickness. Possibly Cole has gone on this errand, but he certainly has no power to negotiate for the annexation of San Domingo.

It is clearly the intention of Congress to legislate on the McGarahan claim, that the President and Cabinet sustain Secretary Cox in resisting the unwarrantable interference of the two Judges of the District Supreme Court, who sought to settle the matter by a writ of mandamus. The Secretary will take no action, but leave the question for Congress to settle.

A special from New York says it is believed that the Spanish gunboats will be released on Saturday, as no information has been lodged sufficient to detain them. The Spanish Minister has offered to guarantee that they will not be used against Peru, and he will give bonds to any amount.

A supplemental bill was filed in the Cheney case, yesterday, by Mr. Cheney, amending the original bill making the Bishop and presenters parties to the suit. The bill alleges that Bishop Whitehouse openly declared his intention of weeding those low church clergymen out of his diocese, which therefore authorizes the belief that the Bishop intends to expel Mr. Cheney from the Church. In the Ecclesiastical Court, he also filed a declaration and protest against the proceedings in the civil courts' till Sept. 15th.

NEW YORK, Aug.—The *Evening Post* says of the Central Pacific railroad bonds, in reply to questions asked in another column, that a responsible banking firm asserts that the total amount of bonds they are authorized to issue is $26,000,000. To the certain knowledge of these gentlemen less than $16,000,000 have been sold.

PARKERSBURG, Va., Aug. 4.—The suit of J. B. Brown against Col. D. J. Young, involving title to Government property at Harper's Ferry valued at several million dollars, is on trial here: Chief Justice Chase on the bench. B. Stanton's for the plaintiff; B. Smith and H. H. Blackburn for the United States.

ROCHESTER, Aug. 5.—Two sons of C. D. Riggs, aged eighteen and eight, were drowned yesterday.

A century plant bloomed at the Green House yesterday. It has twenty blossoms and is visited by hundreds of people daily.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug 5.—The steamer *Juniata* went to sea last night, and the *Dictator* to-day. The *Miantonomoh*, a double turret steamer, of Cambridge, is also fitting for sea.

H and W. Catherwood lost $210,000 by the fire. The whisky was insured at $2,187,000, which about covers the loss. Among other heavy losers by the fire are Jay Cook & Co., who had advanced money to whisky dealers to pay the tax. John Hannis has an insurance for $1,000,000. The total loss by insurance on the stock is $2,207,000. The New York and Eastern companies are the heaviest losers. The London and Globe lose $189,000; the Imperial, of London, $151,000.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—The report of the board of visitors at West Point highly commends the discipline and efficiency of the institution, and recommends more attention to English studies and less attention to French and other foreign languages, and competitive examination for admission is also recommended.

NEW YORK, Aug 5.—The will of the late Jacob Cram is admitted to probate. Cram left an estate worth nearly a million of dollars, mostly in real estate in this city and Chicago. His widow being dead, the entire estate goes to four children, one of whom is in Philadelphia.

No further action has been taken relative to the seizure of the Spanish gunboats.

Three more arrests were made to-day, of persons connected with defrauding the revenue by restamping cancelled stamps. It is stated that over $50,000 in cancelled stamps which have been sold, have been traced. A large portion are in the hands of the police. Several more arrests are expected.

The tailors are jubilant over the anticipated success of their strike. Several prominent firms acceded to their terms, to-day, including Devine & Co.

A memorial to Congress for the abolition of duties on coal, is being circulated.

Mexican News.

HAVANA, Aug. 5.—Advices from the City of Mexico are to August 17th. The examination of Carrigal and Ponesea Sachez and Vargas, on a charge of disloyalty, was progressing. Prominent citizens and Europeans have been arrested on a charge of being connected with the plot to assassinate President Juarez and his Ministers and pillage the city. Minister Nelson has been appealed to and refused to intercede in behalf of the conspirators. The revolutionists in Tamaulipas have been defeated by the national troops. The Indian war in Yucatan continues extending.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

LONDON, August 5.—The Harvard crew made better time and show better form than heretofore. They made thirty-four strokes per minute at the start, and gradually increased the number.

DUBLIN, Aug 4.—The Irish Bishops met in private conference in this city, to-day, to consider the recognition of the Irish Church.

Paglen, Conservative, was elected Mayor of Dublin, but the Liberals have a majority of the Council.

DUBLIN, Aug. 5.—The Irish Bishops in conference resolved to have a general Synod, in which the laity as well as the clergy shall be represented. They also provided to have provincial Synods to consider the local changes necessary to be made in the Church under the present circumstances.

The corporation of Waterford passed a vote of thanks to Gladstone for the successful passage of the Church bill.

PARIS, Aug. 5.—It is reported that the Emperor will soon issue a manifesto, announcing as the last act of his personal government the reduction of certain taxes and the extension of the educational system of France.

NEW YORK, Aug 5.—The *Herald's* special from London says the *Senatus Consultum* is rapidly winning favor in France. It concedes three cardinal points: 1st, the Legislature will have power to elect its own officers and govern itself. 2d, it will have the right to initiate laws. 3d, it will have power to control France. It will be seen that the sovereign power is divided between Executive, Legislature and the people. It is beginning to be recognized for the first time in France that constitutional reforms have been accomplished without force or violence.

MADRID, Aug. 4.—The truth of the report that Spain has opened negotiations with the United States looking to the independence of Cuba is positively denied.

PARIS, Aug. 4.—*La France* reports that Queen Isabella is disposed to abdicate the throne of Spain in favor of Austria. The Empress Eugenia is expected to visit Constantinople in September. Preparations on a most extensive scale have been commenced there.

A special from Madrid says Prince Henry Bourbon, brother in law of Isabella, is preparing to return to Spain by consent of the Government. The Prince had been several times banished by the ex-Queen on account of his radical opinions.

Admiral Topete is striving hard to obtain the Spanish throne for Duke Montpensier. It is stated positively that Spain has refused to sell Cuba to the United States on any terms.

FLORENCE, August 5.—During the celebration of the great festival at the Cathedral, the drapery caught fire. The church was crowded at the time. The congregation became panic stricken and rushed for the doors in confusion. Sixteen persons were trampled to death and a large number badly bruised. The fire was easily extinguished before any considerable damage was done to the Cathedral.

PESTH, August 5.—The Emperor Francis Joseph has declined to grant the petition of Prince Karageorgevich for pardon, who is accused of assassinating the late Prince of Servia, ordering his case to be dealt with by the ordinary tribunals.

LONDON, August 5.—The Harvard crew has been rearranged as follows: Loring stroke, Simmons, Ross and Bass in the bow. The speed was improved in the practice yesterday, and they made thirty to forty strokes per minute.

VIENNA, Aug 5.—During the discussion of the war estimates in the Reichrath, Baron Von Beust said it was hazardous to maintain peace for a considerable length of time, but expressed the opinion that if no war occurred during the next four years, the preservation of the peace of Europe for a long period beyond was certain.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 5.—At the meeting of the Democratic municipal convention last night, P. J. White was nominated for Sheriff, R. H. Sinton for County Clerk and W. L. Higgins for County Recorder.

It has been ascertained that on Monday evening Col. J. P. Sherburne, Chief of Staff in the U. S. Army, was assaulted on Berry street near Montgomery, by two men who knocked him down, strangled him nearly to death, and robbed him of $490 in coin and his gold watch and chain. His groans attracted some ladies residing near, who rendered him assistance. He had been seen during the evening with two men named Frank Ferguson and Fred Wilson, in a saloon where Sherburne was exposing his money freely. Both parties are under arrest. Some of the property has been recovered.

A little daughter of Gen. Ord fell overboard from the steamer *McPherson* at Black Point, Capt. Falkinburg and private Thomas Davis, of the 14th Infantry, immediately plunged in after her. All three would have been drowned, but for the timely assistance rendered by a boat.

While awaiting the arrival of the Stockton boat last night on Broadway wharf, a man was assaulted by four or five roughs who robbed him of a watch and chain and wound up by giving him a severe beating. Two men have been arrested on suspicion.

An ordinance has been passed in this city for the suppression of the internal music of Chinese orchestra bands, and the first case under it is now being tried in the police court.

Mary O'Brien, residing at 102½ Market street, attempted suicide by taking a dose of strychnine last night. This is her second unsuccessful attempt at self-destruction; cause, domestic trouble.

California mills have resumed operations with full force of ten hour men. No further trouble is anticipated.

A movement is on foot in this city for the organization of what is to be called a Caucasian Society, for the purpose of discouraging Chinese and Japanese immigration to California, and to oppose the influence of capital and monopoly over labor in this city and other cities of the State.

A meeting of the Mechanics' Institute will be held this evening for the purpose of considering the question of reincorporating the Institute.

The U. S. Branch Mint will re-open for the transaction of business on Saturday the 14th.

A telegram from Sacramento says Chief Whitney will arrive by the Vallejo route this evening.

Advices from Corrinta, Central American, to July 12th, state that Col. Harvaythy, late of Sonora, left Corrinta July 5th to attend to work on his plantation, since when he has been missing. His horse was found tied to a tree six miles from the plantation and his overcoat containing his watch thrown over a log. A fearful fatality seems to be placed in the family of Col. Harvaythy, as within the past year his wife and grand father have died, followed by his own probable death.

The Chollar Potosi Co. have declared a dividend of two dollars per share.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 6.—The Republican County Committee met last night and appointed delegates to the Municipal and Legislative Convention and adjourned till Saturday night.

The Municipal Convention will meet Monday night for organization, and the Legislative Committee meets Tuesday evening for the same purpose.

The Democratic Municipal Convention met last evening and nominated Otto Kloppenburg for County Treasurer; Levi Rosener, Assessor; Henry H. Byrne District Attorney, and Wm. Humphreys Surveyor. Adjourned till to-night.

The Democratic Legislative Committee met last night and accomplished nothing, but adjourned till to night.

The match trot at the Golden Gate Driving Park yesterday afternoon, between Paddy McGee and Regulator for $500, was won by the former in three straight heats. Time—2:38, 2:37½, 2:37½, 2:37 and 2:36.

At a meeting of the Mechanic's Institute held last evening, it was decided to open the industrial exhibition September 14th, as it is the hundredth anniversary of the birth of Baron Von Humboldt.

A letter from British Consul, Wm. Baker, was read, inviting the mechanics of California to contribute to the World's Fair in London, to be held in 1870.

A proposal for building a railroad between point San Quentin and San Rafael has been accepted at $24,000 by contractor White of this city. Work will be commenced to morrow. Length of road to be 4½ miles.

New York and Liverpool Markets.

Wheat—very firm, holders asking high rates, $1 75@1 77.

Flour—nominal $6½@9½.

Liverpool wheat 10s 8d.

Mining Stocks.

The following companies have declared dividends for July. The Eureka California Mining Co $5 per share, amounting to $20,000; Amador California Mining Co $6 per share, amounting to $22,000. People's Insurance Company 1 per cent. amounting to $1,000; The Hale & Norcross Mining Co will omit their dividend this month. The mining share market was moderately active this morning, without, however, any improvement in price. Evening sales, Savage 75½, Cholar Potosi 20, Hale & Norcross 10½, Crown Point 41½, Yellow Jacket 44½, Kentuck 17¼, Alpha Co. 1.85, Overman 63½, American 28½, Bullion 10.

San Francisco Produce Market.

Flour 500 bbl superfine, for export, private.

Wheat—common grades dull $1 35@1 45. Sales 400 sks fair milling $1 60; 2000 sks do $1 62½; 800 sks fair shipping $1 70. We quote choice at $1 72½. Further sales 770 sks good milling $1 70; 200 sks do $1 72½, 1840 sks ordinary $1 55.

Barley—scarcely so firm as in the early part of the week. Sales of 600 sks fair, new, $1 05; 300 sks good, new, $1 10; 490 sks choice, new, on time, $1 12½. 800 sks, ditto, at same figures; at close 130 sks new, $1 07; 400 sks the same, $1 35.

Oats—1,200 sks fair California, in two qualities. 200 sks do, $1 55, 200 sks good, do, $1 55; quotable at $1 30@1 60. Oregon, $1 60@1 65.

Shipping.

Arrived—Aug 6th, ship *Jas. Guthrie*, 188 days from New York; schooner *Champion*, 15 days from Port Townsend; bark *Oakland*, sixteen days from Port Madison.

Sailed—Aug. 5th, steamer *Orizamba*, for Portland; ship *Kenneth Kimball*, for Teekalet.

Arrived, Aug. 5.—U. S. Quartermaster's steamer *Newbern*, 12 days from Sitka, via Victoria 3 days and 16 hours; schooner *Potter*, 21 days from Chaumagin Islands with 21,500 codfish.

Stockton Dispatch.

STOCKTON, Aug. 6.—At a special meeting of the Common Council, held in this city last night, it was decided that an invitation should be extended to the City Fathers of Sacramento to come over on the completion of the railroad to this place and partake of the hospitalities of the city. The invitation was sent by telegraph to-day, and one likewise to the President and Directors of the Company asking them to come over and have a good time generally.

Samuel Johnson, a deck hand on the steamer *Tuolumne City*, fell overboard near Johnson's Ferry, San Joaquin river, last night and was drowned.

NEVADA.

VIRGINIA, Aug. 6.—Ike Russell had his collar bone broken in the Overman tunnel last evening.

Mr. Rawley, formerly a teamster, was stricken on the street to-day with paralysis.

The ten stamp water mill of Weston & Co., Gold Canyon, was destroyed by fire yesterday noon. Loss, ten thousand dollars; no insurance. The mill has not been in use for some time.

An assessment of ten dollars per share will be levied upon the capital stock of the Kentuck Co., delinquent, September 5th.

A dispatch from Vice President Colfax says he will certainly arrive at Reno at two o'clock A. M. Monday.

Fine shower this afternoon.

Another exciting express race: Pacific Union a few seconds ahead.

Bullion shipment, $12,864 35.

There are eight savings banks in San Francisco, two in Oakland, one in Stockton, and one in Sacramento, of which the *Bulletin* gives statistics, and their total number of depositors are 35,742; amount of deposits, $26,608,069; outstanding loans, $26,441,007; gross earnings for the six months ending July 1st, $1,457,870: expenses and Federal tax, $118,388; reserve fund, $940,771; cash on hand, $1,404,740; amount of dividend, $1,271,488.

WM. R. SEWALL and J. B. SPRENGER

Take this method of notifying their friends, the traveling public, that they have disposed of their interest in the Western Hotel, and hereafter will continue to manage the COSMOPOLITAN, which in the future as in the past, will always maintain its reputation as the BEST and only FIRST CLASS Hotel in the city.

SEWALL & SPRENGER, Proprietors.

Portland, July 1, 1869. dtf

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THE ADJOURNED STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING will take place at the Council Chamber, on Monday evening, the 9th of August, 1869, at 8 o'clock precisely.

By order of the Trustees.

R. E. CHATFIELD, Secretary.

Portland, August 7, 1869. au7dtd

ST. HELEN'S HALL!

A BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR Girls, conducted by the Misses Rodney, under the supervision of the RIGHT REV. B. WISTAR MORRIS, D. D., Bishop of Oregon and Washington Territory, will be opened in Portland on the First Monday of September.

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U. S. MARSHAL'S NOTICE.—DISTRICT OF OREgon, ss.—Whereas an information has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1869 by J. C. Cartwright, Esq., District Attorney on behalf of the United States, against One Trunk of Merchandise, alleging in substance that the said goods were, on or about the 1st day of July, 1869, brought and imported from the foreign Empire of China into the United States and into this District without the payment of duties thereon and without a permit from the Collector of Customs for said district, and praying process against said goods, and that the same be declared forfeited to the United States of America. Now, therefore, in pursuance of the warrant under the seal of said court, to me directed and delivered, I do hereby give public notice to all persons claiming said goods, or in any manner interested therein, that they be and appear before said District Court, to be held in the city of Portland on Monday, the 6th day of September, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, then and there to interpose their claims and to make their allegations in that behalf.

THOMAS G. YOUNG,
au7d14t U. S. Marshal for said District.

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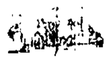

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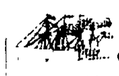

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